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WOMEN BELIEVED TO HOLD KEY TO MURDER FOR CASH

Two Young Brunettes
Held for Questioning
Of Gang Secrets

New York, March 22.—(AP)—District Attorney William O'Dwyer said today he was detaining two young women whom he described as "holding the key to at least three new murders" by the Brooklyn murder-for-cash syndicate.

The King's county prosecutor said the two women, both brunettes in their 20's, had given him considerable information during an all-night questioning and showed they were "familiar with many of the gang's secrets."

He withheld their identities, commenting merely that they might be typed as "gang molls."

The three new unspecified murders, he said, were in addition to the 30 assassinations already linked with the crime combine, and resulting so far in eight murder indictments.

The quasi-humorous figure of still another woman was injected into the picture of Murder, Inc., in the person of Mrs. Ruth Sewall, 41-year-old divorcee, who threw the fear of feminine fury into several of the mob members.

Had Terrorized Gangsters

O'Dwyer said Mrs. Sewall, who formerly ran a card game for diversion-seeking housewives at Brighton Beach, had terrorized some of the gangsters when they tried to "muscle in" on her profits.

The prosecutor said Mrs. Sewall went to one of the syndicate's higher-ups and read him the riot act with such telling effect that the would-be tribute collectors were ordered to leave her alone.

"After that," O'Dwyer said with a chuckle, "when the local hoodlums saw her they got panicky."

"They scrambled up stairways and dodged behind doors when she went past."

Mrs. Sewall made her protests to Seymour Magoo, a heavy-jawed individual who allegedly acted as chief triggerman for the slaughter syndicate.

Big Ammunition Order Is Announced Today

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—A \$1,731,240 order for ammunition, which officials believed was the largest since the World War, was announced today by the war department.

The contract for ammunition for the army's new 37 millimeter anti-tank gun went to the York Safe & Lock Company, York, Pa.

It was included among contracts totalling \$6,569,945 awarded in the first 15 days of March. These included:

H. G. Goeltz company, Oak Park, Ill., paving and drainage of runway, Chanute Field, Illinois, \$265,050.

Marriage of Illinois Pair Annulled After 29 Years

Chicago, March 22.—(AP)—After 29 years of wedded life, Arthur Spencer, 52, and Mrs. Jane Spencer, 72, have been adjudged legally married.

Spencer's contention that he and his wife were first cousins and therefore not legally married in Illinois was accepted yesterday by the superior court.

The court annulled the marriage after introduction of a will, drawn in 1935, in which Mrs. Spencer wrote: "I leave this estate to my cousin, Arthur, to whom I entered into a marriage believing it valid."

Illinois Brothers Have "Honeymoon Lease"

San Pedro, Calif.—It would seem that the Tyson brothers of Illinois have a "honeymoon lease" on stateroom 30 of the liner Matsonian.

R. W. Tyson and his bride, who returned from Honolulu Wednesday, waved goodbye yesterday to G. F. Tyson and his bride as they sailed on the same ship. When they return in two weeks, a third brother, William, will be waiting to sail with his wife in the same suite.

William Tyson lives in Chicago, G. F. in Rock Island, and R. W. in Elgin.

Ducks Get the Easter Spirit; Eggs Are Fancy

Baltimore, March 22.—(AP)—The egg-dyeing industry will get no business this year from Deputy State Game Warden E. C. Kerns, thanks to the fine, cooperative spirit of his ducks.

The black East India ducks are producing eggs that are three-fourths black with intricate gray designs over the remaining quarter.

"They've been laying completely black eggs for some time," Kerns said, "but they just started putting designs on them this week."

I guess it must be the Easter spirit."

About Feet

Louisville, Ky., March 22.—(AP)—Plowing, says Dr. Russel Jones of Indiana University school of medicine, is "perfect exercise" for feet and legs.

He also advanced the theory that public speakers "should sit while they speak; it certainly wouldn't hurt their ideas and would do their feet a lot of good".

He expressed these opinions in a paper read today at the American Association of Anatomists meeting.

Dr. Jones said in plowing uneven earth furrows tend to spread the feet in all directions.

The Indianan also declared that people "stand up too much". "The foot was designed for walking not standing", he explained.

About the only solution for foot trouble is "shoes that fit", Dr. Jones concluded, adding that persons with aching feet should go to bed and rest their feet, just as they would go to bed with bad cold.

Veteran Morals Officers Shake Down Innocents

Chicago, March 22.—(AP)—Suspension of four veteran detectives on charges of using their authority as morals officers to operate a brazen shakedown racket was disclosed today in the files of the Chicago Civil Service Commission.

Dr. Ernest Puttkamer, chairman of the police committee of the Chicago Bar Association, said a prominent attorney also was involved in the investigation and that his case was pending before the associations grievance committee.

Dr. Puttkamer, who also heads the police committee of the Chicago Crime Commission, said testimony before the Civil Service Commission indicated the detectives had arrested dozens of citizens on false sex charges and then permitted the accused lawyer to visit the bewildered prisoners in their cells and solicit fees to handle their cases.

Many Innocents Held

The officers under suspension were Detectives Francis O'Malley, leader of the morals squad; and William J. Kearney, Edward Hickley and Elmer Johnson. All denied the charges, as did the attorney.

The Civil Service Commission has not handed down a decision in the case, although the policemen were temporarily suspended Feb. 22 by Police Commissioner James Allman.

Records introduced before the Civil Service Commission showed that the morals squad made 1,263 morals charge arrests in and around the loop between Jan. 1, 1938, and May 31, 1939. Allman's investigators told the commission it was possible that 75 per cent of those arrested were innocent victims of the alleged racket.

They testified that such prisoners frequently were held in jail two or three days "for investigation", being denied the right to communicate with relatives or friends, while an attorney tried to collect fees.

Oregon Section Men Hurt Today in Unusual Way

(Telegraph Special Service)

Oregon, March 22—Several section men in the employ of the Burlington railroad were injured, three of them painfully, in a peculiar accident east of Oregon at about 10 o'clock this morning when a gasoline car, one of two on which they were transporting rails, left the tracks when the rails, suspended between the two cars, slipped.

Three of those injured are patients at the Warmolts clinic: Leo Roy Smith, 38, fractures of both legs; John Marshall, 38, broken shoulder blade and cuts and bruises and William Marshall, 65, his father, severe cuts about the head and face. The others injured, none seriously enough to demand hospitalization, were: Jacob and Dick Menenga, 32 and 42, and Paul Kyer, 50, foreman of the crew.

The mishap occurred about ten minutes before the scheduled arrival of the westbound streamlined Zephyr and other members of the section crew hastened to stop it before it plowed into the wrecked car. The fast train brought Barron to the depot, while the other injured men were brought to Oregon in ambulances.

HELD UP POLITELY

Philadelphia, Mar. 22.—(AP)—"We're awfully sorry", two shopkeepers were told last night by a pair of masked men, "but this is a holdup. Times are very tough."

The men fled with \$55—after the request: "Now keep quiet—please".

"Fight to Victory" Is Theme of Good Friday Sermons in German Churches

By The Associated Press

Europe today observed the first Good Friday of the war under the deepening shadow of fears of an early intensification of hostilities.

Only in Jerusalem did the day of Christ's crucifixion find conditions more peaceful than a year ago. The Arab-Jewish strife has virtually ceased since the outbreak of the European war. Christians of many nationalities gathered early today at Pontius Pilate's court for a devotional procession along the "Via Dolorosa" (Street of Sorrows) to the hill of the Crucifixion.

Mingled with clerical vestments and native robes were the khaki uniforms of British and Australian soldiers, reminders that the Holy Land may yet be drawn into the war.

In Vatican City, foreign diplomats, including President Roosevelt's envoy, Myron C. Taylor, gathered in the Sistine chapel to watch Pope Pius XII and 13 princes of the Roman Catholic

Seeks Court Writs for Alleged Collectors of Democratic Illinoisans

Terse News

Subpoenas Are Asked for Six Who Refused to Appear for Probe

Springfield, Ill., March 22.—(AP)—Attorneys for Sylvester Steskal, state policeman suing for an accounting of Democratic campaign funds, asked the Circuit court today to issue subpoenas for six witnesses who yesterday failed to appear for questioning in a deposition hearing.

Attorney Walter T. Day described the witnesses as "collectors" for the Illinoisans, administration agency accused in Steskal's suit of collecting from state employees two per cent of their salaries for political campaign purposes.

Judge L. E. Stone deferred a ruling until Tuesday when the court is scheduled to hear a series of preliminary motions in the case. One of these is a defense motion to dismiss Steskal's suit. It was filed in behalf of State Finance Director S. L. Nudelman and other defendants, who recently testified the Illinoisans received "voluntary contributions".

Attorney Day also announced his intention, if Judge Stone allows Steskal's plea for an accounting, to subpoena for questioning "most" of the high state officials who were named in yesterday's hearing as representatives of the Illinoisans.

Write Surety Bonds

Alvin E. Skoog, Springfield insurance agent, testified in the deposition hearing he wrote surety bonds for a long list of the Illinoisans' "field representatives", including Alexander Wilson, administrative assistant to Governor Horner. Superintendent Walter Williams of the state police, Director Charles P. Casey of public works and Secretary Joseph E. Knight of the Commerce Commission.

READING ROOM IS PLANNED

In an effort to furnish a reading room at the Truman school where the Big Buddy club sponsors a recreation center for Dixon boys, the club is asking persons having old furniture which might otherwise be discarded, to donate it to the club. Boys' books and magazines are also requested.

Persons wishing to contribute to the reading room may call any member of the club and transportation will be provided.

SIGNS OF SPRING

Ray Barron and Art Wilson reported having seen 32 robins, several hundred ducks and a flock of black birds on a recent visit to Lowell park. The two sportsmen also reported an additional sign of spring: fish are biting. Mrs. Alvah Drew of 1703 First street telephoned the Telegraph office yesterday afternoon to report that a flock of 16 robins were stopping in a plum tree at her home.

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Washington, Mar. 22.—(AP)—Senators Harrison and McNary asserted today that if the senate votes to extend the reciprocal trade program, it will furnish one of the major issues of this year's elections.

"In those states where competitive manufactured and agricultural products are produced," he told reporters, "our candidates for congress should receive large support from the voters who believe in maintaining the American market for American laborers and producers."

Insofar as the creation of anxiety is concerned, the move has had perhaps more success than its author expected. Coupled with the Finnish tragedy, it has in no small degree been responsible for the demand in the English and French parliaments that their governments show more initiative in the war—a situation which contributed to the downfall of the Daladier cabinet.

On the other hand, Senator Harrison (D-Miss.) said he did not believe politics should enter debate on the bill, which was to be taken up as soon as a vote on the farm bill was reached during the afternoon.

Approval of the \$922,000,000 farm bill, carrying \$208,000,000 more than the house total was held up yesterday by an effort to give benefit payments to cane-sugar growers who increased acreage while quotas were suspended last winter.

British Premier Chamberlain told his House of Commons that the allies are prepared to deal with anything that may result from the Hitler-Mussolini conference which furnished the background for the entire announcement.

However, there are few things which could cause greater uneasiness than the possibility of the Muscovites not only combining with the Berlin-Rome axis to support the war against the allies, but finally being given the opportunity of resuming the bolshevization of Europe for which they have been patiently waiting 15 years. This hour of European chaos is the one for which they have been looking.

VOICE ON SURPLUS DISPOSAL

In between lengthy speeches, the senate yesterday voted, 79 to 0, to allow \$85,000,000 extra for the disposal of surplus commodities. Part of the money will be used for the food-stamp system to aid needy families.

The senate also approved \$40,000,000 of loans for the rural electrification administration and \$50,000,000 of loans for the farm tenancy program. The loans were in addition to increased direct expenditures.

NO SECTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

The variation in collections apparently bore no sectional characteristics. Thus states showing the largest increases included Michigan, Rhode Island, 77 per cent; Delaware, 73; Ohio, 62, and Indiana, 56.

Some of the biggest tax areas fell below the national average. New York state, easily maintaining its first rank with \$156,298,903, had a gain of 24 per cent. Among other major states (those having more than one internal revenue office in their borders) California increased nine per cent, Illinois 29 per cent, Missouri eight per cent.

Other sample percentage increases included Wisconsin 42 per cent.

EXPECT FDR WILL BE ABLE TO RESUME WORK MONDAY

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—The White House said today that the President's physician, Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, believed that if Mr. Roosevelt will continue his limited schedule during the week-end, he should be back to his normal routine work-day by Monday.

Stephen T. Early, presidential secretary, said Mr. Roosevelt felt like working but that McIntire was insisting that he remain in bed as much as possible because his cold and temperature were persisting. The chief executive's temperature was 99.2 degrees this morning, a little more than half a degree above normal and a little below yesterday's morning's mark.

Early said it was doubtful Mr. Roosevelt would attend Easter church services. The regular Friday cabinet meeting and press conference were cancelled.

The Weather

FRIDAY, MAR. 22, 1940

(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity: Partly cloudy to cloudy, with snow probable late tonight and Saturday; not so cold tonight, lowest temperature 18 to 20 degrees; gentle northwesterly winds, becoming moderate northerly Saturday. Outlook for Sunday: Partly cloudy, moderately cold.

Illinois: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer in south Saturday.

Indiana: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer in south Saturday.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy in the north and central, mostly cloudy with occasional snow in extreme south tonight and Saturday.

Michigan: Partly cloudy to cloudy tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer in south Saturday.

Minnesota: Partly cloudy with local snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

Missouri: Mostly cloudy with local snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

North Dakota: Partly cloudy with light snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

Pennsylvania: Partly cloudy with light snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

Ohio: Partly cloudy with light snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

Tennessee: Partly cloudy with light snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in east and central tonight.

Virginia: Partly cloudy with light snows tonight and Saturday; not so cold in

Illinois' Idle Must Be Provided Jobs Says Green

Peoria, Ill., March 22—"No lasting prosperity can be achieved for Illinois that does not guarantee a high standard of living for the farmer and his family and lift him from the burden of oppressive taxation", declared Dwight W. Green, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, at a rally here. "But so long as nine million men remain unemployed in our country—with twenty-two millions more upon relief—there will be no market for the products of the farm."

Flooding Crab Orchard Lake Is Begun This Week

Carbondale, Ill., March 22—(AP)—The long-awaited flooding of the Crab Orchard lake bed, intended to be Illinois' largest artificial lake, began this week.

Heavy rainfall deepened the water against the dam across Crab Orchard creek and it spread over approximately 3000 acres of the land purchased by the Soil Conservation Service for flood control, conservation and recreation purposes in Jackson and Williamson counties. The lake eventually will cover 7,000 acres.

The impounded water crossed the original state route 13 in two places and other fingers of the lake lapped at the highway. Nearly five miles of the road has been re-located on higher ground and opened to traffic.

Several hundred WPA workers are employed clearing timber and brush from the eastern part of the basin but the lake bed is practically ready for flooding at this time.

One of the main obstacles remaining is the removal of 243 bodies from five cemeteries in the area.

Dead Line April 5

Charles E. Hamilton, manager of the lake development, today said relatives of the dead have been given until April 5 by a federal court ruling to make known their intentions in connection with the removal of bodies. He explained that on request, the government would move the dead to any cemetery within 15 miles of the lake if the burial plot were furnished by the relatives. If no such request is made by the court-fixed date, the government will move the bodies to a 15-acre cemetery now being prepared for that purpose.

Tuesday was the last day for filing bids in Washington for dismantling, moving and reburying the dead and moving grave stones and markers, Hamilton said.

Because the lake can fill to 80 per cent of capacity before any of the five cemeteries would be inundated, lake authorities have closed the locks at the dam, so water can be impounded during the spring rainy period.

PUTTING HER IN PLACE

Fort Collins, Colo.—(AP)—Some time ago I visited your church and was shocked that you read your prayers," said a letter from a woman to Dr. Harold Scott of the Congressional Unitarian church.

"Also you read so rapidly and in so low a voice I could not understand the words."

Dr. Scott responded: "Dear Madam. In our church, prayers are not addressed to you but to Deity from whom to date I have received no complaints. Yours, Harold Scott."

EASY WORK

Colorado Springs, Colo.—(AP)—Efficiency, that's the word for Colorado Springs firemen. Called to a blaze in a bank building, they discovered a huge pile of trash was on fire in the boiler room. Grabbing shovels, they simply scooped the burning pile into the firebox.

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EVERYTHING FOR SPRING NEW

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Uncle Sam's Corn Worth 50 Million Less Than Loans

Chicago, March 22—(AP)—With the flow of corn loan dollars about to be shut off, the farm belt today settled down to a watchful wait for something to enhance the value of more than 400,000,000 bushels of collateral.

The most grain ever impounded under government loans is bulging cribs and bins with the largest Easter-time supply of corn on record, accumulated from three successive bumper crops.

This includes more than 250,000,000 bushels of 1939 corn upon which money has been advanced since December 1; 162,000,000 bushels of 1938 grain, and almost 1,000,000 bushels of 1937 grain. In addition, the government has stored, mostly in steel bins, approximately 86,000,000 bushels acquired last fall from farmers who defaulted on notes—swelling the grand total to about 500,000,000 bushels.

This corn is security on loans aggregating more than \$285,000,000. Grain men estimated that its value at current market prices is at least \$50,000,000 less than the amount lent.

The period of note-signing, with country banks negotiating three per cent paper maturing August 1 and advancing crisp folding-money in time to meet spring-planting expenses and taxes, is about at an end. If government plans are not changed, the opportunity to obtain these loans will expire March 31.

As the deadline approaches there has been a tightening up of open market supplies of "free" corn. Movement to market has been below normal all winter.

International News Reporter Convicted By Japanese Judges

Tokyo, March 22—(AP)—James R. Young, International News Service correspondent, was convicted on a charge of spreading language last night in taking to task the husband of Doris Duke, "world's richest girl".

"Secretary Hull found", a state department announcement said, "that the address contravened standing instructions to American diplomatic officers, as public discussion of controversial policies of other governments, particularly with governments engaged in war, without the prior knowledge of this government, is not in accord with such instructions.

"Such public statements by our diplomatic representatives are likely to disturb relations between this and other governments".

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Judge Sanehiro Hotta, speaking through an interpreter, lectured Young on the "seriousness" of his offense, but said he found extenuating circumstances in the fact that you are an American and a correspondent whose duty requires you to transmit news".

Young went back to jail, where he probably will remain until next Saturday, expiration of the seven-day period allowed both sides for appeal.

Young was arrested January 21 soon after his return from China where, a Japanese foreign office spokesman charged, he sent "extremely slanderous news reports regarding the Japanese forces". He was accused also of spreading "fabrications and rumors" among Japanese and foreigners here.

He was charged costs of his trial, which started March 11, and warned that he would be imprisoned immediately if the asserted offense were repeated within three years. A court clerk said the question of whether Young would be deported would be decided jointly by the home and foreign offices.

PIPER COMPRIZE LEGACY

The children of Borsho Janitch of Yugoslavia were bequeathed 104 clay pipes, 86 pipe stems, 20 pipe lids, 16 lighters, 15 tobacco pouches, 15 tons for lifting coal from the fire for pipe lighting, and 14 pounds of tobacco.

Cheap Eggs Will Make Rabbit's Job Easier

Chicago, March 22—(AP)—The cheapest eggs in six years will make the Easter rabbit's job fairly easy this season, price and production figures indicated today.

Since late in January when sub-zero weather cut production and marketings, egg prices have tumbled about nine cents a dozen, and, at 16½ to 18½ cents for graded firsts in the Chicago wholesale market, now are slightly under a year ago and well under the four preceding Easter seasons.

Hull Reprimands Cromwell for Pro-Allies' Address

Washington, March 22—(AP)—James H. R. Cromwell, millionaire diplomat of two months service as minister to Canada, has been reprimanded by Secretary of State Hull for the anti-German speech he delivered at Toronto.

The secretary used straightforward language last night in taking to task the husband of Doris Duke, "world's richest girl".

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Cromwell was expected here either today or tomorrow on a visit planned before his pro-allied remarks made him the center of controversy. He has refused all comment on the repercussions from his speech, but when he delivered it, he announced his readiness "to risk my official head" on its contents.

A sharp cleavage in public reaction to Cromwell's utterances was evident in the number of letters subsequently received at the state department. About half of them criticized the minister, and the other half voiced approval.

PIPER PICKED PASSAGES

The famed musician, Handel, did not select the Scriptural passages for his famous "Messiah". They were chosen and sent to him by his friend, Charles Jennens.

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Society News

Dioramas Will Be New Attraction at Flower Show

New attractions at the fourteenth annual Flower Show at Navy Pier in Chicago will be eight dioramas—miniature scenes portraying some phase of garden activities or work. The exhibits will be in place on Saturday morning, March 30, and will be on display through April 7.

There will also be flats of small herb seedlings, a new topic stressed for Junior work this year. Dish gardens for living rooms and kitchens will be presented with appropriate materials to place on the tables for color and texture.

The exhibits this year will be entirely different in that the great numbers of posters, books, poems and essays will not be in evidence, having been previously graded and returned to the clubs. Only those of exceeding merit will be kept to show to the public.

Co-operating in the show, as usual, will be the Allied Trade organizations, bringing a wealth of plant material—cut flowers and potted plants, dramatically staged. This year, the competition among the florists for arrangements suitable for different occasions will again be held. These arrangements, judged each day by a jury composed of members of the Allied Florists and members of the Garden clubs, are kept on display until they fade, and are of unfailing interest to the visitor.

SOUTHERN VACATION

Mrs. O. L. Gearhart and her son, Orval, Jr., were heading southward by motor at noon today on a trip which will take them to many points of historic interest before they return to Dixon at the close of the spring vacation recess. At Memphis, they will be joined by Mrs. Gearhart's sister, Mrs. T. C. Saunders of Greenwood, Miss., who will accompany them to Natchez, New Orleans and Gulfport. The trio expects to return by way of the azalea route through Mobile.

SHOWER PARTY
Mrs. Donald Franks entertained members of a Paw Paw sewing club yesterday afternoon at a shower party in compliment to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Donald Amber of Paw Paw.

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Play Day Committee Members Pause for Lunch



—Telegraph Photo

Five of the women, whose smooth-running plans resulted yesterday in one of the most successful Play Day parties in the history of the Lee County Home Bureau, are pictured above, enjoying a box lunch which was part of the day's festivities. They are: (left to right)—Mrs. Louis Gonigan, Jr., of Walnut, county recreation chairman; Mrs. Ellis Kugler of Dixon, president of Harmon unit; Miss Marian Simpson, home adviser; Miss Ruth Hoffman, member of Harmon unit; and Miss Louella Hopkins of Hamilton township. Mrs. Kugler formerly served as county president for two years, and was county treasurer for seven years.

CONCERT TOUR

Miss Neva Sweet of Polo, will spend her spring recess from Cornell college at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, on a spring concert tour with Cornell's a cappella choir of 62 voices. The tour begins on March 26 and will end April 6. Miss Sweet is a member of the soprano section.

Lincoln Students Give Style Show

Attractive housecoats, pajamas, blouses and other garments completed in eighth grade home economics classes of the Lincoln grade school were modeled yesterday afternoon in a style show staged for the monthly meeting of the Lincoln Parent-Teacher association.

The program also included a playlet, "A Little Bit of Holland"; special numbers, fourth grade students of Miss Mary Trombold and Mrs. Margaret Richards; "Physical Education in Our School," Miss Pearl Richards; "Home Economics in Our School," Miss Evelyn Schmidt; and vocal selections by the teacher's quartet, the Misses Alice Crandall, Lucille Johnson, Mercedes Moore, and Savilla Palmer.

Mrs. David Ashley was in charge of the business meeting.

EASTER PAGEANT

"The Power and the Glory," an Easter pageant by Mary Louise Gills will be presented at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening at Brookville Grace Evangelical church.

Nolf Painting Is Chosen for Show at State Museum

John T. Nolf, Grand Detour and Oak Park artist, has been notified that his painting, "The Rubaiyat," now on display in the annual exhibit by artists of Chicago and vicinity at the Chicago Art Institute, has been selected for an exhibition to be hung in the Art gallery of the Illinois State museum at Springfield, from May 1 to Sept. 1.

Visitors at the Springfield show will also be given an opportunity to see an outstanding exhibit from the collection of the late Thomas Condell, great-grandson of Governor Edwards, now on display in the same gallery. It includes artwork of the Pueblo Indians of the southwest and Chinese and Japanese art.

Of further interest to Dixon visitors at the Chicago show is a still life painting by Miss Mattie Lietz of LaGrange, who comes to Grand Detour several times a year to sketch, and a sculpture, "Figure," by John Fabian. A painting by Mr. Fabian, "Little Josephine," was presented to the Lincoln grade school last year by Mrs. John Stephan, the former Ruth Walgreen, whose husband is also represented in the show.

Mr. Nolf arrived in Grand Detour on Tuesday to spend the spring and summer at his studio, "The Whippoor-Will."

SCOUT LEADERS

The meeting which members of the Girl Scout Leader's association had planned for March 28, has been postponed until April 11.

VESPER CONCERT

Members of the Troubadette women's chorus will present a 4 o'clock vesper concert at the Presbyterian church in Ashton on Sunday afternoon, March 31, under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell. A string ensemble, directed by Dean Ball, will assist.

DIXON STUDENT HEADS PLEDGE GROUP AT DUKE

According to word received this morning from the "home news desk" of Woman's college of Duke university in Durham, N. C., Miss Kathryn Dunkelberger of Dixon has been elected president of the pledge group of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority. Miss Dunkelberger, a graduate of Dixon high school, is secretary of the freshman class in Woman's college at Duke.

—FROS SINSINAWA

Miss Theresa Jordan, student at St. Clara academy in Sinsinawa, Wis., arrived in Dixon yesterday to spend the Easter recess with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Jordan of 922 Peoria avenue.

BENEFIT CARD PARTY

Members of the Dixon Woman's Relief corps are announcing benefit card party for 7:30 o'clock Monday evening in G. A. R. hall.

Mrs. Mary Busby is chairman of the hostess committee.

Calendar

Tonight
Minnie Bell Rebekah Lodge
—Regular meeting.

Monday

Craig club, St. Luke's Episcopal church — Second spring dance at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple.

American Legion auxiliary drill team—At Moose hall from 4 to 5 p. m.

Nelson Community club—At Cook school, 8 p. m.

Dixon Woman's Relief corps—Benefit card party in G. A. R. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Tuesday

Employees of Dixon State hospital—Spring dance.

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THE TELEGRAPH'S PROGRAM

FOR A GREATER DIXON

Increase Dixon's Population 1,000 each year. Connecting Dixon with the Inland Waterway System.

Enlarge Dixon's City Limits.

Abolish the Smoke Nuisance.

Build a Municipal Bathing Pool.

Advertise the Beautiful Rock River Valley.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

Jones For Representative

Lee County again has an opportunity to have the minority representative in the Illinois legislature, a position which John P. Devine filled with distinction for so many years and now held by Henry White of Somonauk. Lee County's candidate is Edward A. Jones of Dixon, who has filled the office of state's attorney for Lee County in a very capable manner for the past eight years.

The fact that Mr. Jones was elected and re-elected in this predominantly Republican county speaks very highly for his capabilities and his personality and should attract the favorable attention of the Democratic voters in all three counties of the 35th district. The many friends of State's Attorney Jones in Lee County will welcome an opportunity to help elect him to the Illinois legislature.

Falsehoods Gather Weight

No one knows just how these things happen, but every once in a while the most innocent set of facts gets jumbled up and emerges as a national legend without a grain of truth.

Take the case of the Memphis, Tenn., dog pound, for example. When the building was first erected in 1936, with the aid of WPA the story got around that the place was so luxurious that Memphis' canine population was openly inviting apprehension by the dog-catcher just to share the penthouse comfort of the new pound and to enjoy the shower baths which were supposed to be part of the project.

The facts? First of all the place cost only \$19,000 with WPA putting up \$13,000 and the city \$6,000. And there are no shower baths, except the garden hose used on badly soiled inmates. Since the dog shelter was opened, there has been not a single death from rabies; although, during the three years prior to the opening, six deaths were recorded. The number of Pasteur treatments for rabies, costing \$7 each, has declined from 280 in 1935 to 64 last year.

With tears in her civic eyes, Memphis pleads

● SERIAL STORY

\$15 A WEEK

BY LOUISE HOLMES

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YESTERDAY: Irene Temple explains that she is not in love with Steve, but will probably marry him eventually. She sits down at date with Steve. Ann clamps down on the servants. Mr. Temple's watch disappears. He questions the servants. The cook hints Ann may know something about the missing watch.

CHAPTER XXVII

MR. TEMPLE glanced at Ann, his keen eyes troubled. Suddenly she felt sick and frightened. Mr. Temple said, "Ann, you and Plunket come to the library." Together, they followed her, Ann leading the way with her head high.

"Well, Plunket—" Mr. Temple began, nipping off the end of a cigar.

"I know where your watch is," Plunket said defiantly. "I been suspicious of Miss Brown ever since she came. More silver has disappeared from the dining room and I took the liberty of looking for 'em in her room. I found 'em all right." She looked snug and satisfied.

"Go up and look for yourself. Look in the bottom drawer of her dresser. Your watch is there and a roll of silver. I seen 'em with my own eyes."

Ann shook with rage. "I have never stolen a thing in my life, Mr. Temple. If your things are found in my room they were planted there!"

Just at this moment, Irene, drowsy-eyed, wearing an exotic negligee, drifted into the room. "What's the excitement?" she asked.

"My watch has disappeared," her father explained. "Plunket says it's in Ann—Miss Brown's room."

"If it is, Plunket put it there," Irene said easily. "How do you know so much, anyway?" she asked of the cook.

"Well—I—"

"I know—you were snooping. That proves my point. You took the watch and put it in Ann's room."

Mr. Temple started for the door. "You two girls stay here. Plunket, take me to the drawer where you saw the watch." He strode up the stairs, Plunket panting behind him.

"She's a rotter," Irene said dismally.

ANN nodded. She felt chilly. It was no small matter to be accused of stealing. And she hadn't a doubt that Mr. Temple would return with the damning evidence. He did.

"You may go, Plunket," he said, placing a roll of silver on the table and fingering the watch. Ann stared at the watch.

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"But that's mine," she said. "That watch belonged to my father. And this roll of silver. I bought the spoons, one by one, myself."

Mr. Temple stood before her. Gravely he looked into her white face. His expression was one of disappointment rather than blame. "May I have it a moment?" Ann held out her hand and he gave it to her. She opened the back case. "See?" she said, handing it back to him. "My father carried that watch until he died. I've had it ever since."

Mr. Temple looked at the inscription. He took a pair of spectacles from his pocket and looked over his shoulder.

"Well—" he gasped, his eyes darting to Ann's face and back to the engraving. Irene went to look over his shoulder.

"To Peter Temple on his 21st birthday," she read, repeating, "Peter Temple—But your watch says John Temple—I've read it a hundred times."

Her father asked abruptly, "Where did you get this, Ann?" "As long as I can remember my father carried it."

"But your name is Brown," Mrs. Brown was my father."

"Peter Brown—" thoughtfully. "That sounds like Pete," Mr. Temple nodded.

"Pete—that's what I always called him. He was educated and had been well reared. I used to think maybe he was the black-sheep of some nice family. Perhaps he got into a scrape and took another name—"

"I'll say Pete got into a scrape, dozens of them," Mr. Temple laughed excitedly. "Good old Pete," he mused. "The most lovable rascal I ever knew. I was the conservative type and always stood a little in awe of him—where he is now, child?" he broke off to ask.

Ann told of the fire. "They got me out with a few things and the watch. They couldn't save Pete and Mother." It hadn't been so long since the tragedy and her voice shook. "I've been lonely without them," she faltered.

"Probably appreciated it," Mr. Temple nodded. He gave the watch to Ann. "Now the question is—where's mine?" he said.

As if the words were a cue for an entrance, Blake, sick in his uniform, came into the room.

"Borrowed your watch last night, Dad," he said. "Mine was on the blink. Hope you don't mind." The watch he handed over was exactly like the one Ann held in her hand.

"Well, I'll be—" Mr. Temple muttered. He held out his hand to Ann. "Forgive an old fool, will you?" he asked, smiling at her. "Of course."

ANN was trying to reason it out. Plunket, snooping in her room, had seen the watch. When Mr. Temple came to the breakfast table with his grievance she evidently thought that events had played into her hands. She was probably convinced, at that moment, that her troubles with Ann

(To Be Continued)

were over. If she only knew it, Ann thought, they had only begun.

Mr. Temple started for the door. Irene caught his arm. "Wait a minute," she said. "Maybe Ann's father's real name was Temple. Maybe you're my cousin, Ann. We look alike—more than one person has noticed it. Oh, isn't this exciting—just like the third act of a play?"

Mr. Temple's sharp eyes went from one girl to the other. "You two do look alike," he exclaimed. "Tell me about your father, Ann. Sit down, let's be comfortable."

"He was tall and dark, sort of dashing looking. He had the most charming manners in the world. He made mother and me love him in spite of ourselves."

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"By Jove, it does."

Ann got quickly to her feet.

"Please—let's forget that. Just because Pete got married and had a daughter is no reason why anything should be different with us."

Mr. Temple returned home yesterday afternoon from a two weeks vacation spent at Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Lucille Bishop of Payne's

posed legislation will be delayed until next session.

Biting exchange of uncomplimentary accusations between the Investment Bankers Association and the Securities Exchange Commission represented a little inside publicity coup for IBA.

IBA president E. F. Connely,

has been walking around with his accusations against SEC for two months, trying to find a way to get them in a record and incidentally on the front pages. He sought a hearing before the National Economic Committee and was promised one, but he was never able to get a date fixed. SEC had seen to that.

When SEC later sent out letters to investment banks asking suggestions, Connely was enabled to release his pent up charges.

Nothing will come up. Pro-

mised legislation will be delayed until next session.

New dealist suggestions that Senator Burt Wheeler would be a good vice-presidential running mate for the neither half of the third term ticket have received a cold response lately around Wheeler's desk. His present intention is to run for re-election to the senate if his grab for the first rung misses . . . First campaign emblem to make its appearance in Washington is a Wheeler.

When Connely was in Washington is a Wheeler.

The Bridge of Honor will be held Thursday evening.

SHIPPING TAGS

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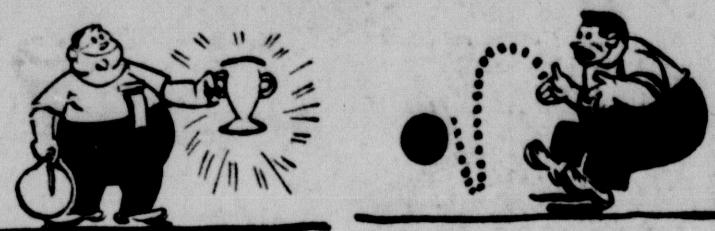
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FANFARE



BY DON DANIELSON.

MEETING TONIGHT

It may be a little difficult to think about softball with the Airport ball yard under a blanket of snow—but winter can't last long. So, if you are planning to sponsor or manage a club this season, you should attend the meeting tonight at 7:30 at The Telegraph offices where the plans for the year will be discussed.

DANCE FOR ATHLETICS

Announcement was made today of a dance at Kerasan gymnasium in Franklin Grove, March 29, as an athletic benefit. Good music has been promised and an evening of enjoyment.

BASEBALL TEAM PLANNED

Down around Mendota they are talking about organizing a baseball team this year to play in the Illinois State league of which the Dixon Knucks are the defending champions. It is believed that there is plenty of material at Mendota for a strong club and some of the players have traveled out of town to play with other teams in the league whereas, the Mendota fans argue, they might well be bringing fame and glory to their own city.

WINS NUMERALS

Lloyd Woodruff, a member of the Polo basketball champions of the Rock River conference in 1939, has been awarded his numerals and sweater for cage services at South Dakota where he is one of 10 freshmen awarded numerals.

MEETS THE "ANGEL"

A group from Belvidere went to Milwaukee last night to see Gus Sonnenberg, former world's heavyweight wrestling champion of Belvidere, meet Maurice Tillet, the "Angel" in the ring. The "Angel" is 36 years old and a Frenchman. He is described as resembling a drama player of an Edgar Allan Poe tale and a Walt Disney nightmare. Although only five feet eight inches in height, he weighs 276. Wednesday night in Chicago, as fans threw peanuts in the ring due to the "Angel's" ape-like appearance, he proceeded to give Rudy Dusek a heavy massage before throwing him in 15 minutes with a hold of his own invention—the bear hug.

ON VACATION

John (Pete) Moore, a student at the University of Illinois, and Gerald Ankeny, a football letterman at the University of Iowa, are among the collegians spending their Easter vacations at their homes here. Both are former Dixon high school athletes.

ARCHERY MEETING

Seven members of the Dixon Archery club met last night at the Scout rooms for a short business session. The purchase of four new targets was sanctioned. The club will meet again next week, probably on Wednesday and as soon as weather permits, outdoor activities are planned.

TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

WILL BE FARMED OUT

(By The Associated Press)

Orlando, Fla.—Two former star college football players now training with the Washington Senators will be farmed out for more seasoning. Joe Mellendeck, recent Georgetown headliner, will go to Springfield in the eastern league and Elmer Gedeon, formerly of Michigan, will be sent either to Charlotte in the Piedmont league or to Springfield. Both are outfielders.

"CRIPPLES" GO TO WORK

Fort Myers, Fla.—Two Cleveland "cripples" turned out for practice at the Indians' camp yesterday. Oscar Grimes, utility infield star of last season, had his first workout of the spring after convalescing from a knee operation, and Shortstop Lou Boudreau was able to do some throwing. Boudreau's ankle was still in a cast as result of an injury received Monday, but his appearance led Manager Oscar Vitt to believe the flashy youngster might be back in the lineup in his last 30 times at bat.

TAKES ANOTHER LOOK

Ontario, Calif.—Manager Jimmy Dykes of the White Sox will take another look at his rookie pitchers today, sending Jess Dobernic and Harry Boyles against Los Angeles here. Clint Brown, veteran relief star, also is scheduled to work.

LOOK FOR LEIBER

Los Angeles—Clarence Rowland, front office man for the Chicago Cubs, concentrated today on trying to locate and sign Hank Leiber, holdout centerfielder, who was reported somewhere in Los Angeles.

MEET NEW BOSS

Landover, Fla.—Some of the younger Detroit Tigers were in a position today to get acquainted with a new boss. The Tigers play Buffalo at Plant City and Detroit will have a working agreement with the International League club. Several rookies will be sent to Manager Steve O'Neil for seasoning.

WELCOME RAIN

Winter Haven, Fla.—The rains came, and though the Giants were beating the Detroit Tigers, it was welcome. For it washed out the game and gave Manager Bill Terry a chance to rearrange his pitching rotation. Now he'll use Hal Schumacher against the Boston Bees today with Clyde Castleton and Manny Salvo ready to help.

ENCOURAGING TO YANKS

St. Petersburg, Fla.—The work of Lefty Gomez, in his first appearance yesterday, was encouraging to the Yankees. He allowed only one pass, and let no one get past first. Red Ruffing added three innings of work and was equally as impressive.

A DEAL ON THE FIRE

Bradenton, Fla.—The Boston Bees have a deal on the fire that is getting so hot that President Bob Quinn doesn't dare get more than five minutes away from a telephone. The Bees need a hard-hitting outfielder, who may come from Brooklyn, where Quinn has marked success with his deals, and a pitcher or two from the Phillips.

SHOWING SPEED

San Francisco, Calif.—Dick Siebert is determined to show Manager Connie Mack he is strong enough to play a whole season. The slender Philadelphia first sacker, hampered by injuries the last two years, is playing at a fast clip. He got three hits in four trips to the plate in yesterday's game with Los Angeles to bring his batting average up to .381 in 17 exhibition games.

BROWNS ARE SPLIT

San Antonio, Tex.—Manager Fred Haney divided his St. Louis Browns squad today, taking the regulars to New Braunfels to meet the Toledo Mudhens while the others stayed here to play the Tulsa Oilers. Howard Mills and Bob Munchie were to pitch against Toledo, with Loy Hagen and Jake Wade due to start against the Oilers.

NEXT BEST THING

Sarasota, Fla.—Since the Boston Red Sox can't beat the Yankees this training season, for the very good reason that they don't play them, they are determined to do the next best thing and serve notice on the World Champions by pulverizing their Kansas City farmhands today with a rookie lineup. Manager Joe Cronin has selected Earl Johnson and Frank Dasso as his pitchers.

DRILLS IN BUNTING

Hawkins—If Coach Jimmy Wilson has anything to do with it,

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Elgin Keglers Lead in Dixon Tournament

LOCAL TOURNEY MONOPOLIZED BY ELGIN BOWLERS

Easterners Holding Most of Honors in the Rock River Sweepstakes

Coming out of the east like the morning sun the Elgin keglers have been doing most of the shining in the current Rock River handicap tournament at the Dixon Recreation. The easterners hold high honors in the team event with the Barclay Photo Supply company possessing a 2868 score. Of the six high teams in the events, four are from Elgin.

Eberman-Paulson of Elgin are second in the doubles with a count of 1188; outscored only by Dixon's Ridhauer-Welty with 1208. Seven other Elgin combinations rate among the 12 high in doubles.

James, another Elgin bowler, is second in the singles with a score of 603 and is topped by Stewart of Moline with 608. Eight others from Elgin are among the 15 high rollers in singles.

All Events

J. James with a score of 1813 is leading kegler in all events with Fredericks and Stark second and third. All three are from Elgin.

Barrington Ten Pin add to the Elgin monopoly with a count of 1036 in high team series; Schneider is high individual game kegler with 253 and Weirich-Schornlow hold high doubles with 434. All are from Elgin.

Complete scores of the leaders to date are as follows:

TEAMS

Barclay Photo Supply, Elgin. 2868
Berghoff, Elgin 2814
Barrington Ten Pin, Elgin 2802
Coca Cola, Dixon 2790
Elgin 2769
Corn & Glass Starch, Clinton 2767

DOUBLES

Ridhauer-Welty, Dixon 1208
Eberman-Paulson, Elgin 1188
Weirich-Schornlow, Elgin 1184
Schneiders-Kirsch, Elgin 1132
Schmidl-Hitzeman, Elgin 1129
Peters-Barnes, Elgin 1124
Van Doren-Bishop, Dixon 1117
Fredericks-Ransch, Elgin 1111
Colman-Herbert, Rock Island 1107
James-Peterson, Elgin 1106
Swanberger-Poffenberger, Clinton 1103
Smith-Bonlos, Elgin 1096

SINGLES

Stewart, Moline 608
James, Elgin 603
McHugh, Elgin 601
Fredericks, Elgin 588
Zornow, Elgin 588
Myers, Clinton 588
Schneider, Elgin 585
Schmidl, Elgin 585
Bellows, Elgin 582
Reisinger, Elgin 580
Twinrions, Rockford 577
Penwick, Rock Island 577
Swanberger, Clinton 576
Stark, Elgin 576
Peters, Elgin 576

ALL EVENTS

J. James, Elgin 1813
Fredericks, Elgin 1767
Stark, Elgin 1755

HIGH TEAM SERIES

Barrington Ten Pin, Elgin 1036
Corn and Glass Starch, Clinton 992
Dixon Paint Store 974

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME

Schneider, Elgin 253

HIGH DOUBLES

Weirich-Schornlow, Elgin 434

Eberman-Paulson, Elgin 433

Seiger-Pitch, Elgin 413

SHELBYVILLE WINS FIRST GAME IN DEFENSE OF ITS INDEPENDENT CAGE CROWN

Danville, Ill., March 22—(AP)—

Shelbyville, 1939 champion in the annual Illinois Basketball Association Independent tournament, successfully passed its first barrier in defense of its crown.

The Ann Arbor Bater Boys, as they are known, turned back Carbondale, 51 to 39, in the first round last night and will meet the winner of tonight's Alton-Rockford game.

Other games tonight send Peoria against West Frankford, Kankakee against Waverly, and the Danville Sandusky's against White Hall.

Results last night—Hammond 42, Kewanee 40 (overtime); Danville (Muskeep Shores) 41, Quincy 27; Quincy 43, Brocton 27.

BAND TRAVELS TOO

Iowa City, Ia.—Iowa athletes aren't the only travelers on the campus. The university band of 85 pieces made a seven-day tour this spring during which they played 17 concerts.

KLEIN IS RELEASED

San Bernardino, Calif.—The Pittsburgh Pirate outfield has been trimmed to seven with the release yesterday of Chuck Klein, veteran slugger. Chuck came to the Pirates from the Phillies in the early part of the 1939 campaign and now has been granted permission to make a trade for himself.

NEXT BEST THING

Sarasota, Fla.—Since the Boston Red Sox can't beat the Yankees this training season, for the very good reason that they don't play them, they are determined to do the next best thing and serve notice on the World Champions by pulverizing their Kansas City farmhands today with a rookie lineup. Manager Joe Cronin has selected Earl Johnson and Frank Dasso as his pitchers.

DRILLS IN BUNTING

Hawkins—If Coach Jimmy Wilson has anything to do with it,

Dizz in Uniform Again



Down The ALLEYS

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Ted's keglers, leaders of the Commercial league, won three games last night from the In and Outers. Two of the games were won on forfeit. Badger, one of the two who rolled for the losers, counted a 467 series while Venier led Ted's with 481.

Rubey's won three games from the Round-Up with Bondi counting 511 for the winners and Carlson scoring 501 for the Round-Up.

Coss won three games from Hill Bros. Randall rolled a 506 series for the dairymen and Hill scored 519 for the losers.

Sparky's quintet won two games from Rink with Blackbird leading the winners with 444 and Rink pacing his club with 473.

High games last night included those of Courtright 220, Coss 204.

STANDINGS

	W	L
Ted's	44	23
Sparky's	40	29
Coss	38	31
Rubey's	37	32
Round-Up	35	34
Rubey's	31	33
In and Outers	26	43
Hill Bros.	25	44

Team Records

High team game—Rink	109
High team series—Hill Bros.	399

Individual Records

High Ind. game—Ridhauer	276
Moersbacher	634

Ted's

Venier	145	179	157	481
Schwank	106	158	133	395
Furlong	133	149	107	389
Stanley	140	138	104	383
Welty	137	128	137	402
	187	187	187	561

Total

Total	848	938	825	2811

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance

New York, Mar. 22.—(AP)—Leading commodity and security markets of the U. S., Canada, Latin America and Europe were closed today in observance of Good Friday.

Exceptions included a few live-stock and produce markets, and the New York foreign exchange market.

Tomorrow will see a number of market still closed, but most of the big stock and commodity exchanges will resume work for the usual Saturday sessions. An important exception will be the New York Cotton Exchange.

Chicago— Grain market closed for Good Friday.

Cattle fully steady on meager receipts.

Hogs steady to 10 down; top 5.45.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Mar. 22.—(AP)—Salable hogs \$6.00; total 14,500; general market steady to 10 lower than Thursday's average; late deals at the full decline; good to choice 180-240 lbs 5.20@45; top 5.45; 240-270 lbs 7.00@55; 270-300 lbs 4.90@52; heavies 4.65@55; 300-330 lbs 4.70@52; 400-550 lbs packing sow 4.25@50.

Salable cattle \$5.00; salable calves 300; fully steady trade on all classes; hardly enough steers and heifers here to make a market; few loads steers 7.50@25; most heifers 8.25@9.10; plain heifers down to 6.50; and below; odd lot and small packages being picked up by both large and small killers at 7.50 upward; canner, cutter and common beef cows also well cleaned up at 6.25 down to 4.25; quotable top weighty sausage bulls 7.00; most offerings 6.50@7.50; practical top weighty choice vealers 10.50; light vealers scarce, mostly 9.00 down; with outs at 6.00; little more inquiry for stock cattle.

Salable sheep \$8.00; total 8500; late Thursday all classes slow; around steady; top and bulk fed woolled range lambs 10.15; very few overnights and planter kinds 9.80@10.00; fed clippers 8.65@9.00; packing sow 4.25@50.

The War Today—

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Says 'Rich' Mate Fibbed on Wealth



U. S. Asked to Relieve Food Shortage in China

Washington, March 22.—(AP)—President Roosevelt turned over to the Red Cross today an appeal to help meet a "desperate food shortage in China".

The appeal, which asked specifically for cracked wheat, came from the American Advisory Committee for Civilian Relief in China. It was transmitted through Clarence E. Gauss, United States consul general in Shanghai.

The relief committee said the wheat supply was exhausted, rice and other grains were scarce and the prices were soaring, so that relief efforts were being defeated.

"We respectfully request your aid in obtaining gift and shipment cracked wheat for relief in China", the message said. "This would assist in meeting desperate food shortage in China where multitudes of poor are suffering from hunger and would be effective expression of American good will."

BOSTON BRUINS EVEN COUNT IN HOCKEY LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

(By The Associated Press)

It seemed for a while last night that if the New York Ranger-Boston Bruin National Hockey League play-off series went six or seven games, there wouldn't be anybody alive to play the last game or two.

For the Rangers and the Bruins weren't pulling any punches when they took the ice in the second game of their series at Boston.

But the blood-and-thunder antics of the first period didn't last, and the Bruins, clicking beautifully, finally found how to outfox goalie Davey Kerr—and proceeded totally four times on him in about 35 minutes. The final count was Boston 4, New York 2. That squared the series at one game apiece and led to the belief it may take the full seven games to decide the issue.

In the other play-off game the Toronto Maple Leafs, who finished third in the regular league season, eliminated the Chicago Black Hawks, fourth place team, by a second straight, 2-1, victory.

Gordon Drillon and Hank Goldup scored unassisted goals, much to the discomfiture of 15,306 Chigagoans.

The Hawks' goal came in the early minutes of the third period and tied the score at one-all but it was only a matter of a few minutes before Goldup drove down with the winning marker.

AS HE DESIRED IT

St. Louis, Mar. 22.—(AP)—Hermann Schwarz, 64, Boy Scout executive died as he had wanted—at a Scout meeting in his uniform.

Schwarz, who was suffering from heart disease, had been asked to skip meetings to conserve his health. He always replied: "If I have to die I want to die in a Scout uniform at a Scout meeting".

He was stricken last night at a Scout court of honor just after awarding four eagle badges.

Joe Sutter was fined \$100 and costs for drunken driving while his woman companion was fined \$5 "just for being drunk."

\$100 and costs, no driving for a year is the price being paid by Eunice McElrea for driving in Abingdon while intoxicated in May.

LOANS
\$20 to \$300

—PHONE 1560—

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(LOAN DIVISION)

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107 Galena Ave.



(NEA Telephoto.)

Paul Reynaud, bitter to the bone, was asked by President Lebrun of France to take post re-signed by Edouard Daladier.

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May queen to be elected.

Dan Fellers paid \$100 for drunk driving while George Johnson, arrested for the same offense, got a chance to reckless driving. Edward Cantwell was fined \$85, same charge.

Edmund C. Johnson, 21, of

Abingdon, was fined \$50 for driving while intoxicated in May.

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Church Services

GEMS OF THOUGHT

ADVERSITY

Difficulties are things that show what men are.

—Epictetus.

Adversity is sometimes hard upon a man; but for one man who can stand prosperity there are a hundred that will stand adversity.

—Carlyle.

Adversity reminds men of religion.

—Livy.

Step by step will those who trust Him find that "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."

Mary Baker Eddy

Bad times have a scientific value. These are occasions a good learner would not miss.

Emerson

If aught can teach us aught, Affliction's looks.

(Making us pry into ourselves so near).

Teach us to know ourselves, beyond all books.

Or all the earned schools that ever were.

—Sir John Davies.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

321 West Second street

Regular Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Matter".

Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Children to the age of 20 are welcome.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

The reading room is open each week-day from 2 to 4 p.m., except on holidays.

Scripture memorizing club on Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
West Morgan street
L. E. Conner, pastor

Sunday school at 9:45. Easter service will be delivered at 11 o'clock by the pastor. There will be no service in the evening.

At 9 o'clock, regular morning worship will be conducted in the church auditorium. The Rev.

al with special classes for senior men and women and young married folk.

We have worship with preaching at 10:45 and at 4:30. Dr. Hughes will speak on "The Golden Crown of Christ" and "Why Was Jesus Baptized?"

Special service of baptism at the afternoon hour. Mrs. Hughes will give an organ concert at 4:20 p.m.

Wednesday evening is "church night" with a fellowship supper at 6:30 and devotions and lecture at 7:30. Group conferences at 8:15.

WEST SIDE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
313 Van Buren Avenue
E. P. Evans, pastor.

A sun rise service will be held at 7:30 a.m. Sunday morning at 9:45. Those without transportation will meet at the church at 9:30. Breakfast will be served following the service.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes and teachers for every age group. The junior choir will sing a special number.

10:45 a.m.—Morning worship. Reverend Evans will bring the Easter message and the choir will sing "Christ Arose".

3:45 p.m.—Junior young people's club conducted by Mr. Evans.

6:30 p.m.—Christian Fellowship club for young people of high school and college age.

7:30 o'clock—Evening service. The sermon will be preached by the pastor. A special song will be sung by the choir.

Wednesday at 7:30—Midweek prayer and praise service, choir rehearsal following.

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At 9 o'clock, regular morning worship will be conducted in the church auditorium. The Rev.

blessing is expected at the Tabernacle Easter Sunday, the greatest day of days, the Resurrection of our Lord. A perfect and record attendance is expected Sunday morning at the Sunday school hour, 9:30 a.m. A special Sunday school contest will be introduced during the hour. All present will participate in the contest. Several special musical numbers will be enjoyed. The Rev. S. H. Miller's message for the Easter worship hour is centered around "The Stone Rolled Away."

An outstanding Easter Sunday evening service will be opened by the Tabernacle orchestra at 7:30 p.m. An Easter pageant entitled "When Christ Arose Triumphant" will be presented by thirty-five of the young people, robed in Oriental costumes of beautiful colors.

At the conclusion of this pageant Mr. Miller will bring a brief message on the subject "The Resurrection and Life".

ELDENA EVANGELICAL
T. R. Moritz, pastor

The young people of the Eldena Evangelical church will have complete charge of the Easter sunrise service which will begin promptly at 6:45 a.m. Miss Helen Lyle, president of the Evangelical League of Christian Endeavor, will preside in this service. Robert Shoemaker will play a trumpet solo. James McWilliams will read the scripture. Robert Welty will sing a soprano solo. Gladys Glessner will lead in prayer of the morning; Erna Moritz will sing the sunrise meditation, speaking on "Putting the T into Life". Elmer Shoemaker and Harold Glessner will be the ushers for this service, which is open to the young and to the older folks.

Immediately after the sunrise service, breakfast will be served at 8 o'clock in the church basement. There will be a free will offering taken to offset the expense of the breakfast. Everyone is invited.

At 9 o'clock, the regular morning worship will be conducted for children too small to attend the church services.

Payrolls Fail to Keep Pace With Production Boost

Washington, March 22—(AP)—The nation's heavy industries soared to new highs in production last fall but their payrolls and employment were 10 per cent lower than the previous (1929) peak, federal records showed today.

Isador Lubin, commissioner of labor statistics, told a House appropriations subcommittee that steel, machinery and kindred industries paid 425,000 persons an average weekly total of \$118,900,000 at the 1929 peak. In December, 1939, he said, these figures dropped to 3,850,000 and \$104,600,000, "although production at the peak of 1939 was higher than it was in 1929 in the manufacturing industries."

"This," Lubin added, "is rather significant because the question arises, in my mind, how are you going to sell that extra product to the workers of the country who have received less money as a group for making it?"

Congress Gets Transcript

A transcript of Lubin's testimony was given to members of Congress today.

Lubin told the committee steel production had fallen almost 25 per cent in the last two or three months, largely because huge advance stocks were laid in last fall

FORCED FROM HOME: SUICIDES

Herrin, Ill.—(AP)—Despondent since he was forced to leave his home in the Crab Orchard lake area, Herman Saul, 53, a farmer, committed suicide yesterday, a coroner's jury found, by jumping in front of an Illinois Central coal train.

"It is time that the principles upon which our country was founded be restored to our government. We must return the powers of government to the people. That means 'home rule' for the local communities with the right to determine their own form of government and to administer their own affairs without dictation from Springfield or Washington. It means, too, that political machines which have developed in Springfield and Chicago under the autocratic powers granted during the emergency of

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Banta's

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when buying a spread for bread and make sure it's

DATED FOR FRESHNESS!



Be sure of fresh flavor—buy GOOD LUCK—the only margarine dated and guaranteed for freshness. It tastes grand on biscuits and bread, and adds delicious flavor to your cooking and baking!

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We have a full line of quality meats and groceries at popular prices. You will like our free delivery service. If you want good, tender, juicy steaks, we have them! Also fresh fish and one-day old eggs.

Creamed Cottage Cheese, Lb. 10c

Limburer, Brick Longhorn American, 1 lb. 21c

Large Dill Pickles ... 3 for 10c

Liver Loaf, Summer Sausage, Soft or Hard Salami, Skinless Franks, Smoked Weiners, no cereal.

Pork Roast, loin ends, 1b 12½c

Real Calf Hearts, Tongues, Ib. 12½c

Country Lard, 7½c, 2 lbs, 15c

Spareribs, small bones, Ib. 9c

Brains, 10c; tender Liver 8c lb

Large box Oatmeal 19c

Puffed Wheat ... 3 boxes 18c

OUR SPECIAL

A Nut Oleo, dandy for spreading on bread lb. 12½c

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by some purchasers who thought the European war would boost prices quickly.

Lubin said one shipbuilder told him that last September he ordered all the steel he would need for a year and that an automobile manufacturer told the parts makers who supply him to lay in a year's supply of steel.

"Those fellows," said Lubin,

are not in the market today for steel. The production curve has gone down, and I am worried as to how far it is going down. We may be saved by European orders.

I do not know whether they will come in or not.

"In addition to that, your retailer, and wholesaler and manufacturer—the system as a whole—is going to have more finished products on hand."

KINGDOM EVANGELICAL

T. R. Moritz, pastor

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. The theme of the morning will be "Christ Lives", an Easter message of hope and joy. This sermon will be preached by the pastor.

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PROCEEDINGS OF LEE CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois County of Lee, ss.
On Wednesday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1940, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Board of Supervisors of Lee County met at the Court House in the city of Dixon in monthly meeting.

Present, Chairman Mau and Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Elmer J. Miller, Spencer, Garrison, Wilson, Ruggles, Leon W. Miller, Buckaleo, Anderson Kranov, Willis, Lalley, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Montavon, Risetter and Case.

The clerk presented to the Board of Supervisors his report of orders issued during vacation, which said report is in the words and figures following:

TO THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LEE COUNTY.

I, Sterling D. Schrock, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Lee County, would respectfully report that the following county orders have been issued out of this office since December 1, 1939:

Mary A. Tait, care of dep. child..... \$ 10.00

Eric M. Weed, same..... 10.00

May Hoogenstyn, same..... 10.00

Mrs. Alice E. Wirth, same..... 10.00

Mrs. Eva Mercer, care of dep. children..... 20.00

Minnie Buchanan, care of dep. child..... 10.00

Harry D. Riley, same..... 10.00

Carl Sorbe, same..... 10.00

Ida K. Lake, same..... 10.00

Orpha Slaughter, care of dep. children..... 20.00

Floyd D. Chapman, same..... 20.00

Charlotte Merrow, same..... 20.00

Minnie Jurechka, same..... 20.00

Ila Oellig, care of dep. child..... 10.00

Horace Hartman, sal. janitor Ct. House..... 45.00

Eleanor Scott, sal. steno. State's Atty..... 36.00

Nora Finland, same..... 10.00

Mary Hanneman, same..... 10.00

Lena Wallace, Care of Dep. children..... 30.00

Mary Stevens, same..... 20.00

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Louise Siedell, care of dep. children..... 20.00

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16 Thick slice.
17 Coal box.
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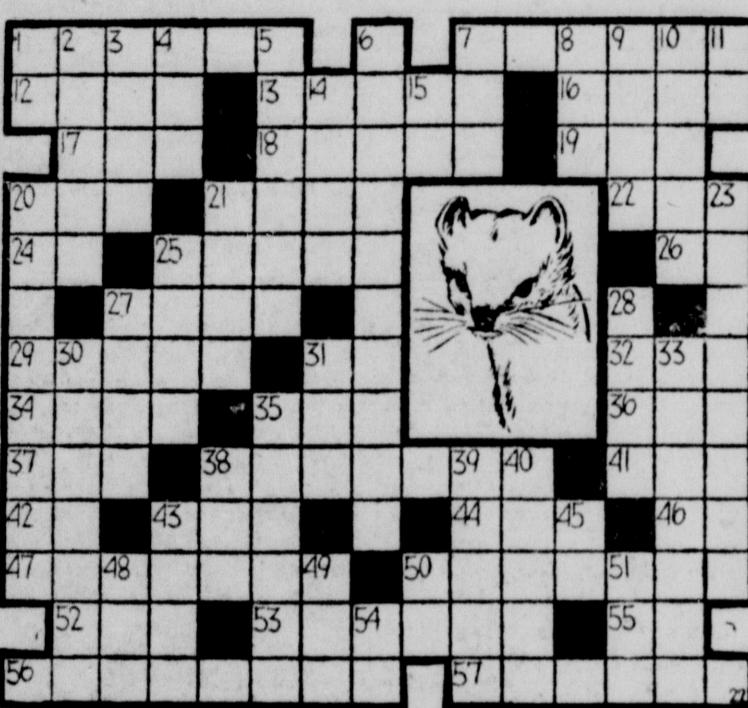
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9 Black hawk.
10 Bird of prey.
11 Pound.
14 Learning.
15 South Africa.
20 It lives in
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21 Carens.
23 Whole
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25 Boisterous
play.
27 Branches.
28 Rootstock.
29 To rebuke.
31 By.
33 Its coat is
white in —
only (pl.).
35 Kind of sail.
38 Biscuit.
39 To seize.
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42 Riddle.
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BRADFORD HOME BUREAU MEETING

The Bradford unit of the Home Bureau will hold their meeting on Wednesday, March 27 at the home of Mrs. Elmer Fulton at 11 o'clock. A scramble dinner will be enjoyed at noon.

The major lesson on "Floor Covering" will be given by Mrs. Roy Kenney. The minor lesson on "Home Safety" will be given by Mrs. Fred Schafer. The roll call will be answered with "What I Would Like on the New Home Bureau Program."

Each member is asked to bring a dish to pass, sandwiches and her own table service. Bring a friend to the meeting with you.

METHODIST LADIES' AID

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society will hold their meeting in the parlors of the church on Thursday afternoon, March 28 at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to bring eggs which will be sent to the Wesley hospital at Chicago.

NEW ERA MEETING

The March meeting of the New Era circle of the Presbyterian church was held on Thursday evening in the church parlors. Motion pictures of the leper colony were shown. Rev. F. Louis gave the interesting talk that accompanied the pictures. The following program was given:

Song—Congregation.

Vocal solo—Miss Bette Jean Olson.

Devotions—Scripture and prayer.

Vocal solo—Leslie Sanders.

Flute solo—Esther Clover.

Motion pictures and talk—Rev. F. Louis Grafton.

Bassoon solo—Stanwood Griffin.

The solo numbers were furnished by the young people from the school, who are taking part in the state music contest.

A social hour was enjoyed after the program.

Refreshments were furnished by the committee and a free will offering was taken. Sheldon Meyers favored with a saxophone solo during the refreshment hour.

THE TROUBADETTES VESPER SERVICE

The Troubadettes, a musical organization of Dixon women under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, will present a Vesper service at the Presbyterian church on Sunday March 31st, at 4:00. This organization has made a previous appearance in Ashton and everyone, who loves choice music will enjoy hearing them again. A silver offering will be taken.

PINE ROCK JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Mrs. William Voss entertained the members of the Pine Rock Junior Woman's club at her home on Saturday afternoon March 16. Each member had the privilege of bringing a girl friend. Plans were discussed for the Golden Jubilee party which will be held at the next meeting on April 20th, at the home of Mrs. Richard Hart. The guest speaker was unable to be present on account of illness. Several musical numbers were enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS TO PRESENT PLAY

Methodist Epworth Leaguers will present a play entitled "Tempest and Sunshine" in the Mills and Petri Memorial building on Friday evening, April 5th. A great deal of preparation has been made for this play and everyone who attends will find it to be a fine stage play.

REYNOLDS' HOME BUREAU

The Reynolds' unit of the Home Bureau will hold their meeting on Tuesday afternoon March 26 at the home of Mrs. Ed Ventler. The answer to roll call will be "What I Would Like on the Home Bu-

reau Program." The major lesson on "Floor Covering" will be given by the local leaders, Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. O'Rourke and the minor lesson on "Home Safety" will be given by Mrs. Ritchie. Visitors are welcome.

TOWN TOPICS

Miss Helen Hart of Chicago will spend the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hart.

Mrs. S. T. Zeller and Mr. and Mrs. Rae Chadwick and family will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knapp at dinner on Sunday. This dinner will be in honor of Mrs. Knapp's birthday which occurred on March 22nd.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Glenn will be their son, Paul and friend Loren Serris of Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wagner will entertain at dinner on Sunday Mrs. Lelah Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Carson and family, Charles Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kersten.

Miss Frances Jennings who is attending the University of Illinois is spending the Easter recess at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jennings.

Miss Elizabeth Andrus will entertain as her guest on Easter Mrs. Elva DeGraff of Forreston.

Miss Eva Hunt of Sterling is spending her Easter vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Griffith.

Guests at dinner on Easter at the home of Mrs. William Heibenthal will be Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Heibenthal and daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Krug and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huene, Mr. and Mrs. George Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wagner and daughter, Esther, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heibenthal, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Todd, Jr., and son, Verlis.

LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES

Easter Sunday. Special Sunrise Easter Service with song and sermon at 6:00 a.m.

No Sunday school.

F. W. Henke, pastor.

REYNOLDS' CHURCH NOTES

Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. and after a short session the primary department of the Sunday school will give an Easter program which will be followed by an Easter cantata given by the choir.

The annual Easter offering in the Lenten offering boxes will be received.

H. C. Farley, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES

Sunday school at 10:00 a.m. Morning worship at 11:00 a.m. Special Easter service.

The church night supper will be held on Monday evening, April 25 at 6:30 o'clock. The members of the Victory Class and the high school class will assist in serving. Everyone is cordially invited and requested to bring a dish to pass, their own sandwiches and table service.

Mrs. Harvey Krogh returned Monday to Brush Creek, Ohio, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds.

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Attended Meeting

John Carr, instructor of manual arts in Oregon high school, and two students, Henry Pauls and Francis Jones, attended a meeting of Future Craftsmen of America in Oak Park Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Carr and son accompanied them and visited friends in Chicago.

Visiting Sister

Miss Dorothy Gore of Hempstead, Long Island, arrived Wednesday to spend the Easter vacation with her sister, Mrs. Philip Nye and family.

Returned

J. F. Reed has returned to Florida to join his wife who has spent the past three months there.

Mrs. Harvey Krogh returned Monday to Brush Creek, Ohio, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Reynolds.

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Easter Prayer

By Helen Welshimer

I PRAY for peace, dear Father,
Here in this calm retreat;
May war drums cease to patter
Stern songs for marching feet.
Before another Easter
May lilies climb bright air
To cover wounded places
As though Thy cross stood there.

HERE in Thy church, dear Father,
I ask the gifts peace yields—
Hearths, lamps, and love, contentment,
New visions, clean green fields,
And clear eyes gazing upward
Where stars are low and bright
Without the fear deep-planted
That Death will ride tonight.

ONCE when the world was weary,
You broke the binding clothes,
You left the tomb behind you,
Victoriously arose.
And so from out war's fetters
That bind the world today,
May peace emerge triumphant,
This thing all women pray!

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DECORATING HINTS FOR YOUR HOME

should also be in ivory tones.

Turning Oak to Walnut

A kitchen with a cool appearance has light green painted walls which harmonize with ivory colored cabinets and a slightly deeper green for the ceiling. Paint the floor a deep moss green, with a band of terra cotta red enclosed by a border of black. This floor scheme also works well with inlaid linoleum. Ivory ruffled curtains may decorate the windows. The sash and other woodwork

may be converted to a walnut finish, unless, of course, the wood is quartered oak. Remove the varnish first and then apply two or three coats of walnut stain to the wood. After the stain has dried, go over it with a thin coat of white shellac and then apply varnish.

Red and White Hallway

In the entrance halls, walls and woodwork painted deep ivory are contrasted by curtains of red and off-white. Match with a floor covering of rich crimson. Try this for especially dark hallways, where daylight is at its minimum.

Colors to Match Oriental Rug

For an attractive setting, designed around a richly colored oriental rug, a pleasant scheme consists of painting the walls Adam green, the woodwork in the new green-gray dull finish or white, and the ceiling a light-toned ivory or off-white. Add to this setting gold-colored draperies at the windows. Large rooms especially respond to this treatment.

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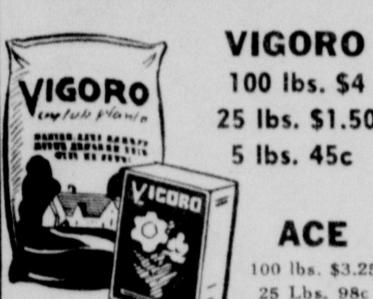


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Ranging from brilliant bursts of color to subdued pastels and neutral tones, the 1940 patterns in wallpaper present a thousand new opportunities for interior decoration. Included too are some of the older standbys that still remain popular. Of special interest is the use of new and different designs, a more versatile matching of ceiling and borders and the use of combined patterns to break up bad features in odd sized rooms. A new slant on decoration is the covering of the outer (window-side) walls with a deep hued paper and painting the inner walls in a lighter harmonizing shade. The result is quite satisfactory.

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IMPROVEMENTS That Come in Packages

Portable Mantle

One of the most ingenious of all home improvements is portable fireplace mantles, constructed exactly like a permanent one, that can be moved from room to room. There are several types being manufactured today that are designed to match various periods of home decorations.

Since there is no chimney a real fire is impossible, but a fireplace-effect may be produced by installing a set of electric logs. Some users have purchased fireplace sets and have used real logs to resemble a fire about to be lit.

This new wrinkle in fireplaces is a real boon to homeowners who wish to plan a room around a hearth, and as it can be moved from wall to

wall and room to room, there is no end of decorative possibilities.

An important factor is the authenticity in which the portable fireplace mantles are built. Real brick are used and the design and trim are of unusual beauty. If you ever decide to install a regular fireplace a good portion of this portable arrangement can be reused. They are exact reproductions, and actually look like a real fireplace, not an imitation. Most furniture and department stores carry this item or can order it for you.

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INDOORS

Spray Plants With Water To Remove Dust Film

Frequently house plants gather a thin film of dust on the leaves. Since this hinders the normal breathing of the plant it is advisable to lightly spray them, not too frequently with water to remove the dirt film.

Grow Parsley in Kitchen

A delightful green, parsley can also be put to useful effect in garnishing your meals. Once a plant is started, you may cut off sprays often. Thus a plant becomes useful as well as decorative. An average sized flower pot will do to start your parsley in.

Cactus Garden Is Fun

Those miniature cactus gardens you see are easy to grow and with a little originality you can arrange some very attractive little settings. The small cacti are inexpensive and miniature bridges, animals, houses, walks, etc., may be purchased to help complete the scene. They're useful too for gifts and bridge prizes.

OUTDOORS

Seeding Lawn

As soon as the frost is out of the ground, you may begin seeding your lawn for luxuriant grass this season. The moisture of Spring rains and melting snows will prove ideal for starting new grass.

Several varieties are available. Shade grass to grow under trees, and many blends and mixtures of imported and domestic seed that give a beautiful lawn. Be careful that the seed you buy is of good quality and does not contain weed seed or an abundance of chaff. Fertilizer may be applied if you believe the ground needs it.

Home Soil Tester

For the home gardener who wants to be completely informed regarding the condition of the soil

around his home, a small inexpensive soil tester is the answer. It is easy to determine sweet or sour plots and the need for lime, potash or other elements necessary to good plant growth. The soil tester is a good guide to planting, as you may determine where various varieties may be planted to insure good growth.

Extension of electric power lines in rural communities has opened a new field for farm and home modernization. Plumbing, heating and appliances are now being installed in these homes, and much is added to the comfort and enjoyment of these families.

If your property is clear of indebtedness or a small portion is yet owed, you may secure work with no down payment, and terms over a period of years. Low finance charges also add to the advisability of property improvement now.

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This Will be the Year to Modernize Your Home

Although 1939 was a fairly satisfactory year in home building and modernization, Dixon is still in need of adequate housing and modernization of many homes. A drive along any street will bring out several homes that modernization would improve. Modernization helps increase property values, the appearance of the neighborhood and adds much to the comfort of the family.

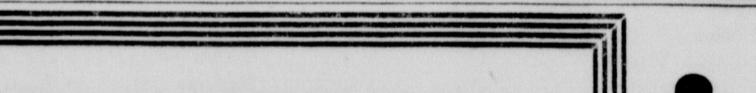
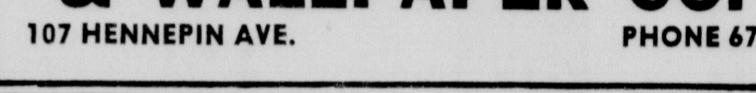
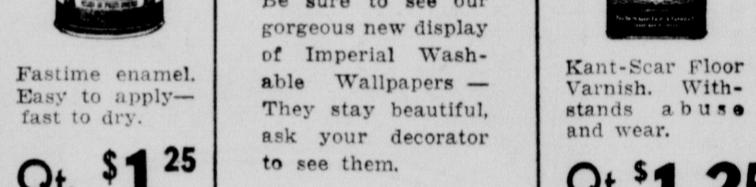
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